

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed fish.

DISPOSITION: December 19, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

19522. Adulteration of frozen sole fillets. U. S. v. 15 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33645. Sample No. 14280-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 29, 1952, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 6, 1952, by the Ocean Beauty Sales Co., from Portland, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 15 cases, each containing 12 1-pound packages, of frozen sole fillets at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: (Package) "Ocean Beauty Brand Sole Fillets Fresh Frozen, Cleaned, Ready to Cook."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed fish.

DISPOSITION: October 14, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a Federal institution, for use as fertilizer.

19523. Adulteration of frozen cooked lobsters. U. S. v. 48 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 34372. Sample No. 2720-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 25, 1952, Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 5, 1951, from Bristol, R. I.

PRODUCT: 48 cartons, each containing 12 packages, and 6 cartons, each containing 6 boxes, of frozen cooked lobsters at Miami, Fla.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed lobsters. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 17, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

19524. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. v. 184 Cans * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34078. Sample No. 57241-L.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about October 1, 1952, Southern District of Indiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 23, 1952, by the McNaney Oyster Co., from Baltimore, Md.

PRODUCT: 184 1-pint cans of oysters at Vincennes, Ind.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), water had been substituted in part for oysters; and, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the article and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk or weight and reduce its quality.

DISPOSITION: October 16, 1952. Default decree of forfeiture and destruction.